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### U.S. Lost Chance To Free Poland

Editor, The Evening News:

Recently, I wrote a letter to the Voice of the People on the question of our State Department. Remember, they have never made a mistake in our favor. Now, in the light of the following information, from Michael Goleniewski, Polish-born defector, we can see the true workings of the CIA and our State Department. From the Allen-Scott Report, dated April 4, in the Human Events, I submit the following excerpt:

"Congressional investigators have uncovered another headline-making report from Michael Goleniewski that is being suppressed by State Department and Central Intelligence Agency officials.

"The report, by the handsome, 41-year-old Polish-born agent who defected in 1961, gives the first inside details of how near Poland was to throwing off its Red yoke in 1956.

"It reveals that a group of Polish military officers, with 20 army divisions under their command, offered to revolt in 1956, following the Poznan riots, if the U. S. would go to their support.

"According to Goleniewski, the offer was relayed to officials in the U. S. Embassy in Warsaw who, after several days, reported that the U. S. government would give no help.

"During these historic hours of waiting for U. S. 'help' that never came, the Polish military officers showed their 'intent' to revolt by taking control of the major airfields in Poland.

"At one crucial point during the crisis, Premier Khrushchev flew to Poland, and his own

KGB agents kept his aircraft circling for several hours because of fear that he would be captured by the Polish military forces upon landing.

"According to Goleniewski, Polish officers were in control of the Warsaw airport, but the Russians surrounded the airfield with an armored division. The Poles in turn, checkmated the Soviet military move by encircling the armored division with five of their own divisions.

"After an explosive five hours, during which the U. S. rejected the Polish arms plea, Khrushchev was finally permitted to land — after agreeing to release Wladyslaw Gomulka, the jailed leader of the Communist Polish United Workers Party, who was then installed as the new Polish premier.

"Rep. Michael Feighan, D-Ohio, one of the legislators probing the Polish defector's story, is seeking full details from Secretary Rusk on how the State Department handled the plea of the Polish army officers.

"Specifically, Feighan wants to know whether the request was ever actually presented to then President Eisenhower and the National Security Council, or sidetracked and rejected within the State Department.

"This congressional inquiry could lead to the recall of Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, who served as one of President Eisenhower's chief advisers during that period because of the late Secretary of State Dulles' illness."

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Dear Congressman Baldwin:

On February 4, 1964, Yuri Nossenko, a high-ranking Soviet Secret Police official defected to our country. As you are no doubt aware, he made the startling revelation that there are Soviet spy rings operating within our State Department and CIA.

To date, the only members of the House or Senate to demand an investigation of the State Department and CIA have been Senator Eastland and Congressman Feighan — both Democrats. The Republicans in both the House and Senate have been outstanding in their silence regarding the implications of the Nossenko case. Since you are a member of the Grand Old Party, I feel that it is your duty to call for a thorough investigation of the alleged Communist infiltration of the State Department and the CIA.

Since the Presidential Executive Order, made law in 1954, prohibiting unauthorized testimony by a member of the Executive Branch, there has not been any investigation of Communist infiltration into the Executive Branch of our Government.

The Honorable John H. Ashbrook, a constant Republican critic, has introduced H.R. 812 calling for the investi-

gation of the State Department. Everywhere I speak today I find an alarmed electorate ready to support such an investigation. They are asking where our Republican representatives are now. Republicans have traditionally stood for the security of our country and of the free enterprise system. 100 per cent attendance at roll calls is not sufficient if the mandate of the people is not carried out by its representation.

Sincerely,  
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